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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

CELIA BERNA,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

**GTI NEVADA, LLC D/B/A RISE
CARSON CITY,**

Defendant(s).

Case #3:25-CV-00229-ART-CLB

ORDER APPROVING

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

16 Sean C. Herring, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Jackson Lewis P.C.

(firm name)

20 with offices at 150 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 2500
(street address)

Chicago

Illinois

60601

22 _____ (city)

(s)

312 787-4949, Sean.Herring
(area code + telephone number) (Email)

312 787-4949

(Email address)

24 2 That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Green Thumb Industries, Inc.

_ to provide legal representation in connection with

the above entitled case now pending before this Court.

7 4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
8 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
9 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
10 standing of the bars of said Courts.

| | Court | Date Admitted | Bar Number |
|----|------------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 11 | Illinois - N.D. Ill | January 1, 2005 | 6286396 |
| 12 | Illinois - C.D. Ill | January 1, 2013 | |
| 13 | Illinois - S.D. Ill | January 1, 2014 | |
| 14 | 7th Circuit Court of Appeals | January 1, 2015 | |
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19 5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
20 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
21 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
22 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

1 6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give
2 particulars if ever denied admission):

3 None

6 7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

7 None

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2

11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

| Date of Application | Cause | Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator | Was Application Granted or Denied |
|---------------------|-------|--|---|
| 14 None | | | |
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19 (If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

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1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF COOK)

7 Sean C. Herring , Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

8 That the foregoing statements are true.

10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

9th day of July, 2025

13 Kathleen Mary Turner
Notary Public or Clerk of Court



**DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Thomas W. Maroney,
(name of local counsel)
Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
said designated Nevada counsel is:

24 Las Vegas, Nevada, 89101

24 Las Vegas _____, Nevada _____, 89101
25 (city) (state) (zip code)

26 (702) 921-2468, thomas.maroney@jacksonlewis.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Thomas W. Maroney as
8 (name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

9 *Mike Neville*

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(party's signature)

11 Michael J. Neville - Associate General Counsel

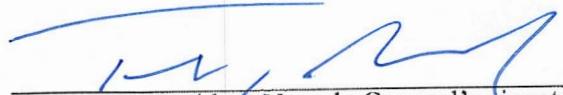
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(type or print party name, title)

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(party's signature)

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(type or print party name, title)

15 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

16 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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18 _____
19 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

20 13913

21 thomas.maroney@jacksonlewis.com

22 Bar number

Email address

23 **APPROVED.**

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Anne R. Traum

25 United States District Judge

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27 DATED: July 11, 2025



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In re: Sean Corey Herring
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To Whom It May Concern:

We have received a request for written verification of the status of Sean Corey Herring for the use by officials responsible for the review of the attorney's application for admission to the bar of another jurisdiction, or for a judicial position or for government employment. We have also received a Waiver and Authorization signed by the attorney. Pursuant to Commission policy, the following information is provided.

The records of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois and of this office reflect that Sean Corey Herring was admitted to practice law in Illinois on November 10, 2005; is currently registered with this Commission and in good standing as an Illinois attorney; and has never been disciplined or the subject of a disciplinary proceeding in this state; and is not the subject of any pending disciplinary investigations.

Very truly yours,
Lea S. Gutierrez
Administrator

By: /s/ *Marissa Hernandez*
Marissa Hernandez
Deputy Registrar

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